REMARKS

Claims 1 – 28 have been cancelled. New Claims 29 through 56 are currently pending in this application. Basis for new claims 29 - 56 can be found throughout the specification, claims and drawings as originally filed. No new matter has been added. Applicant believes that these new claims do not go beyond the disclosure of the application as filed.

CONCLUSION

Accordingly, in view of the above amendments and remarks, an early indication of the allowability of each of claims 29 - 56 in connection with the present application is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (248) 641-1600.

Respectfully submitted,

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